with him and which has caused him many hard struggles, and indeed is discouraging. If any man deserves to be sustained in his cause it is he, without a doubt; his courage, perseverance, and self abnegation are worthy of admiration, and give hope that he will in the end succeed; The mere fact that this would be detractors have not found better material to work with than that of sending him of intending our people's hospitality, proves that material was scarce with them, for their will to find it is not wanting, I can assure you as I have plain proofs of it; My house had always been open to Mr. Ramsey; I have invited him there, and he has always been warmly welcomed, both he and his friends, two of which accompanied him there one day, one of whom was a Clergyman I received them as warm welcome, and asked them to prolong their visit, and to come again; I therefore do not see how any credit can be given to words so very far from the truth, and set afloat with malicious intent Hoping Rev. Sir, that I have not tired

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To the Rt Rev W. R. Whittingham
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Baltimore

Rev. Sir:—

I take the liberty of saying a few words to you relative to the Rev Mr Kenney, for which I trust you will excuse me, concerning a piece of scandal which to me, seems to carry its own antidote along with it, for none but a truly malignant person could start an attack on a Minister of the Gospel situated as he is, who is deserving of all praise, and every one's support, in the grand Pioneer work he has attempted, a work that is all up hill

yours, I am Very Respectfully
Y. O. S.
Geo. L. Webster